

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Parag P. Mehta, et al.
Assignee: QLogic Corporation
Title: **“PCI-Express Slot for Coupling Plural Devices to a Host System”**
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION)**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 22, 2007, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks. While Applicant appreciates that the rejections in the August 22 Office Action are final rejections, Applicant submits herewith a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 together with the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the present Amendment and remarks be entered and considered.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.